NOTICE OF EMERGENCY RULE PROMULGATION

AGENCY:

Department of Marine Resources

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 12 M.R.S.A. Sections 6172 and 6192

RULE PROMULGATION: DMR Regulation 95.04 K, Closed Area No. 38-A, Inner Harbor,

Stonington-Deer Isle:

TEXT OF RULE: DMR Regulation 95.04 K, Closed Area No. 38-A, Inner Harbor, Stonington-Deer Isle

 Effective immediately, because of pollution, it shall be unlawful to dig, take or possess any clams, quahogs, oysters or mussels taken from the shores, flats and waters of the a portion of Inner Harbor in the towns of Deer Isle and Stonington, Hancock County, inside of a line drawn from the northern end of the Inner Harbor-Holt Pond Bridge, so-called, 375 feet, more or less, to a red painted post located on the northern shore of Inner Harbor.

Violation of any provision of this regulation shall be a Class D Crime (12 M.R.S.A. Section 6204).

EFFECTIVE DATE: December 29, 1999

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STATEMENT OF FACT AND POLICY

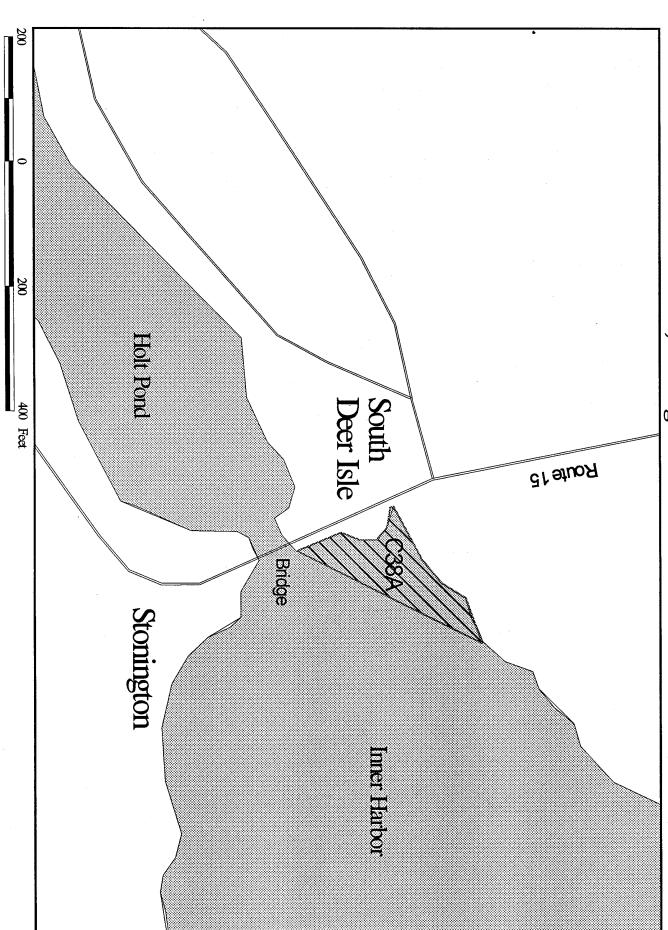
The Commissioner of the Maine Department of Marine Resources promulgates the emergency DMR Regulation 95.04 K Closed Area No. 38-A, Inner Harbor, Stonington-Deer Isle.

The Commissioner takes this action as an administrative promulgation in order to update these rules. There are no substantive changes being made to these closure lines at this time.

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Maine Department of Marine Resources Legal Notice of Shellfish Closure Area For: Deer Isle Stonington C38A Inner Harbor, Stonington-Deer Isle